

Town of Brookline
Parks and Open Space Division
Green Dog Program

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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

The Town of Brookline provides programs to residents that are open to people of all ages, economic levels, and abilities. The Town does not discriminate based on age, race, ethnicity, economic background, sexual orientation, or disability. The Town of Brookline provides financial assistance for individuals who have demonstrated an economic hardship so that they may be able to participate in the Green Dog Program. Financial assistance is available to Brookline residents only.

HOW TO APPLY

- 1. Fill out the application form and attach verification of income.**
- 2. Fill out a registration form.** *You must return all of your green dog and dog licensing paperwork with this application form in addition to your dogs up-to-date rabies certificate.*
- 3. You will be notified within 10 business days.** *Please allow this time for processing.*

***Verification of all household income is required.
Examples include, but are not limited to:***

1. Earnings from Work

Wages/Salaries/Tips
Strike Benefits
Unemployment Compensation
Worker's Compensation
Income from Self-Owned Business/Farm

2. Pensions/Retirement/Social Security

Pensions
Supplemental Security Income
Retirement Income
Veteran's Payments
Social Security

3. Welfare/Child Support/Alimony

Public Assistance Payments
Welfare Payments
Alimony/Child Support Payments

3. Other Income

Disability Benefits
Cash Withdrawn from Savings
Interest/Dividends
Income from Estates/Trusts/Investments
Net Royalties/Annuities/Net Rental Income
Any Other Income

- Confidentiality:** *The Town will use the information on the application only to decide if you qualify to receive financial assistance for the Green Dog Program.*
- Application Frequency:** *Only one application for financial assistance is required per calendar year for all requested assistance.*
- Questions?** *Please call us at 617.879.5650*

Financial assistance is limited. Please apply early.

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****For Brookline Residents Only****

**Please make sure this form is fully completed and the following is also attached:
1) Appropriate financial information 2) Green Dog Registration & Licensing Application**

Participant Name _____ Age _____ DOB _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____ Address (if different) _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Work Phone _____

TANF Case # _____ Email Address _____

Parent/Income 1

Current Employer _____
Address _____
Occupation _____
Length of Time in Job _____
Monthly Income \$ _____
Annual Income \$ _____
Other Income \$ _____

Parent/Income 2

\$ _____
\$ _____
\$ _____

List all sources including earnings from work, all government assistance, and all other income

Total Income Per Year for Household \$ _____

Number of Dependent Children: _____

Do any of the applicant's dependent children receive:

Free Lunch? ☐ Yes ☐ No Reduced lunch? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you answered "yes" to either above please include their name and age below.

Dependent Children: _____ **Age** _____

Name _____

Name _____

I certify that the above information is correct and that all income was reported. I understand that this information is being given for the receipt of financial assistance, and that the Brookline Parks and Open Space Division may verify the information on this application. Deliberate misrepresentation of the information may subject me to prosecution under applicable State and Federal Laws.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Date Rec'd: _____

Initials: _____

Resident Status Verified? ☐ Yes

Income Verification: **Either 1 from this column**

- ☐ Fed 1040 form
☐ TANF Form

or **2 from this column**

- ☐ W-2 form
☐ 1099 form
☐ 4 consecutive pay stubs

Approved by: _____, **Director**

Date: _____